



A DREAM OF THE FUTURE.

BLAZE AT KIKIHALE.

Officer David Kaapa's Residence Has a Close Call.

An alarm of fire was turned in a little after 2:30 p. m. yesterday, and the engines were sent hurrying in the direction of Kikihaile, where it was found that the house of David Kaapa had just narrowly escaped being burned.

A shanty in the vicinity of the house in which the last cholera patient lived had been torn down, and a bonfire made on the edge of the stream blowing hard by. A strong breeze was blowing, and some of the sparks were carried under Kaapa's house a few yards away. A pile of mats in the corner caught fire. A couple of well-directed buckets of water put out the flames. Before word could be got to the inmates of the house that the danger was over all the furnishings of the house had been thrown out of doors.

The engines found no work, but the policemen could not boast of such good luck, for they had all they wanted to do keeping back the crowd, which persisted in nosing about where they were not wanted.

TIME TODAY IS GOOD.

Demand for the Paper Causes Issue to be Doubled.

The first page of today's Time is given up to Artist Harry Mist this week in illustrating his retrospective views of the events which have transpired during the month just closing.

A good "write up," with a fine half-tone picture of the new high school, is given, together with a short article on Tennis, with portraits of Singlehurst and Beardmore. "Jack de Ripper" sings a lay to the Kaula exiles, and Hilary Neal Weston treats of the men whose whiskers were scorched off by cholera. Barney Gilligan tells more of his experience with his "new loidy" and about what he saw house-cleaning day.

The demand for the new weekly is such that the editor has been obliged to double the issue.

WAGNER AS A CYCLIST.

Ex-Detective Thrown Into a Ditch By a Street Car.

Ex-Detective Wagner had an experience last night which he will probably remember for some time. Riding down Alapai street on a bicycle he spied a King street car, and wishing to save his legs from too vigorous exercise, he thought struck him to catch hold of the car as he had seen other riders do, which he did in a most ungainly manner. Wagner has just learned to ride a wheel and did not seem to possess full control of the machine. As he caught hold of the rear platform of the car the bicycle swerved, whirling the ex-detective and his pipe into a ditch near by. Nothing daunted, he rose from his muddy bed and attempted to mount his wheel, which he succeeded in doing after falling off three or four times.

War Cry in Native.

The last number of the War Cry is replete with good reading matter and furnishes all the latest Salvation Army news, together with several fine illustrations of island scenery. An article in the style of a sermon, written in Hawaiian by Sergeant-Major Kabelemauna, is a feature. The number of natives joining the ranks of the Army is increasing, and the necessity for native literature has been recognized.

HONOLULU NEWSPAPERS.

Libel Suit in Connection With Burial of a Native.

That Honolulu has a large complement of newspapers for a city of its size is attested by a correspondent, who says in a recent letter: "We have four English dailies, and two in Hawaiian; besides these, there are two Hawaiian weeklies, two Japanese and two in Chinese." He relates a peculiar incident connected with the burial of a native, which resulted in a libel suit against one of the papers which printed an account of the funeral. Two doctors had attended the deceased, and while one had pronounced him dead, the other decided he was in a cataleptic state, and would recover. The relatives were divided into two factions, one of which insisted on his burial, while the other objected. At the end of ten days certain symptoms indicated that the spirit must have fled, but the anti-burial faction still refused to yield. A compromise was finally effected, the native being interred in a sitting posture, with his head above ground.—American Exchange.

On the Test.

Millie—"If you were in love with two men, and didn't know which one to choose, what would you do?"
Tillie—"Put them to the test."
Millie—"A duel?"
Tillie—"Nothing so absurd. Walk them by an ice cream parlor and see which one turns the palest."—Toledo Blade.

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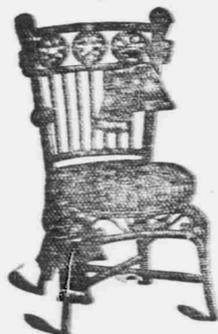
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